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**Samuel A. Alito, Jr.**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1950  
Education: Princeton 1972 AB; Yale 1975 JD  
Began Service: June 15, 1990  
Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Leonard I. Garth, United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit (1976-1977)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1977-1981); Assistant to the Solicitor General, Office of the Solicitor General, United States Department of Justice (1981-1985); Deputy Assistant Attorney General, Office of Legal Counsel, United States Department of Justice (1985-1987); United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1987-1990)

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**Jane R. Roth**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1935  
Education: Smith 1956 BA; Harvard 1965 LLB  
Began Service: July 22, 1991  
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

**Government:** Administrative Assistant and Clerk, United States Department of State (1956-1962)

**Judicial:** District Judge, United States District Court for the District of Delaware (1985-1991)

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Richards, Layton & Finger (1965-1985)

**Current Memberships:** Delaware State Bar Association; Federal Judges Association

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**Theodore A. McKee**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: SUNY (Cortland) 1969 BA; Syracuse 1975 JD  
Began Service: June 20, 1994  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Academic:** Lecturer, Rutgers University College of Law (1980-1991); Director, Minority Recruitment and Admissions, SUNY at Binghamton (1969-1972)

**Government:** Assistant United States Attorney, Eastern District of Pennsylvania, United States Department of Justice (1977-1980); Deputy City Solicitor, Department of Law, City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (1980-1983); General Counsel, Philadelphia Parking Authority (1983)

**Judicial:** Judge, Pennsylvania Court of Common Pleas, First Judicial District (1984-1994)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Wolf, Block, Schorr & Solis-Cohen (1975-1977)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Barristers' Association of Philadelphia; Fox Chase Cancer Center; National Bar Association; Pennsylvania Bar Association; Philadelphia Bar Association

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**Marjorie O. Rendell**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1947  
Education: Pennsylvania 1969 BA; Villanova 1973 JD  
Began Service: November 21, 1997  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Judicial:** Judge, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania (1994-1997); Chair, US Judicial Conference Committee on the Administration of the Bankruptcy System; Member, Judicial Council Executive Committee

**Legal Practice:** Associate then Partner, Duane, Morris & Heckscher (1973-1994)

**Current Memberships:** American Bankruptcy Institute; American College of Bankruptcy, Fellow; American Judicature Society; American Law Institute; Federal Judges Association; Institute for Judicial Administration; J. Willard O'Brien Inn of Court; National Association of Women Judges

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**Maryanne Trump Barry**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1937  
Education: Mount Holyoke 1958 BA; Columbia 1961 MA; Hofstra 1974 JD  
Began Service: September 13, 1999  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton  
Political Affiliation: Republican

**Government:** United States Attorney, District of New Jersey, United States Department of Justice (1974-1983)

**Judicial:** District Judge, United States District Court for the District of New Jersey (1983-1999)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Foundation; American Judicature Society; Association of the Federal Bar of New Jersey; New Jersey Bar Association; New York Bar Association

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Education: U Guam 1976 BA

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**Thomas L. Ambro**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1949  
Education: Georgetown 1971 BA, 1975 JD  
Began Service: June 19, 2000  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Clerkships:** Law Clerk The Honorable Daniel L. Herrmann, Delaware Supreme Court (1975-1976)

**Legal Practice:** Richards, Layton & Finger, PA (1976-2000)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association Section of Business Law, Chair; American Bar Association Section of Litigation; American College of Bankruptcy, Third Circuit Admissions Committee; American College of Commercial Finance Lawyers, Charter Member; New York TriBar Opinion Committee; Third Circuit Judicial Council Committee on Bench-Bar Relations and the Lawyers' Advisory Committee

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**Julio M. Fuentes**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1946  
Education: Southern Illinois 1971 BA; SUNY (Buffalo) 1975 JD; NYU 1982 MA; Rutgers 1993 MA  
Began Service: May 15, 2000  
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

**Judicial:** Municipal Judge (part time), Newark Municipal Court (1978-1981); Judge, Newark Municipal Court (1981-1987); Judge, New Jersey Superior Court (1987-2000)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Miller, Hochman, Meyerson & Schaeffer (1975-1977); Partner, Fuentes, Plant & Velazquez (1977-1981)

**Military Service:** First Lieutenant, United States Army (1966-1969); United States Army Reserve (1969-1972)

**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Essex County Bar Association; National Hispanic Bar Association; New Jersey Bar Association; New Jersey Hispanic Bar Association

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Education: NYU JD  
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**D. Brooks Smith**  
Circuit Judge

Date of Birth: 1951  
Education: Franklin & Marshall 1973 BA; Dickinson 1976 JD  
Began Service: September 23, 2002  
Appointed By: President George W. Bush

**Government:** Assistant District Attorney (part-time), Office of the District Attorney, County of Blair, Pennsylvania (1981-1984); District Attorney (part-time), Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (1983-1984)

**Judicial:** Judge, Pennsylvania Court of Common Pleas, Blair County (1984-1988); Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania (1988-2002); Chief Judge, United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania (2001-2002)

**Legal Practice:** Associate, Jubelirer, Carothers, Krier, Halpern & Smith (1976-1979); Partner, Jubelirer, Carothers, Krier, Halpern & Smith (1980-1984)

**Current Memberships:** Allegheny County Bar Association; American Judicature Society; American Law Institute; Federal Bar Association; Federal Judges Association; Pennsylvania Bar Association

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